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	9.	Kaniyakumari
Orissa	1.	Ganjam
	2.	Balasore
Andhra Pradesh	1.	Prakasam
	2.	Nellore
	3.	East Godavari
	4.	Srikakulam
	5.	Visakhapatnam
	6.	Vijayanagaram
	7.	Ongole
West Bengal		Midnapur

Organ transplantation

1291. SHRIMATI VIPLOVE THAKUR: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state.

(a) whether it is a fact that Government has appointed a Committee to review India's transplant laws;

(b) whether it is also a fact that 90 per cent recipients are males and most organ donors are women;

(c) whether any special provision is proposed in the donor laws to protect the health of women donors; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABAKA LAKSHMI): (a) No, Sir. However, a Committee appointed earlier to review Transplantation of Human Organs Act, 1994 (THOA), had submitted its report to the Government. Wider consultation with various stake holders has been considered by the Government.

(b) Such percentage-wise details are not being maintained.

(c) and (d) No Special provision is proposed to be made in THOA, 1994, with particular reference to women donors, as the Act is gender neutral.